

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

MICHAEL SWANSON,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DURA-BOND BEARING CO., *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:14-cv-00083-JAD-CWH

ORDER

On May 7, 2014, the parties filed a Joint Status Report. (#13). The Report indicates that the parties have self-imposed a stay in this matter pending resolution of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss (#2). Neither the Federal Rules nor Local Rules provide for automatic blanket stays of discovery when a potentially dispositive motion is pending. *E.g. Tradebay, LLC v. eBay, Inc.*, 278 F.R.D. 597, 600-01 (D. Nev. 2011) (citation omitted). If either party seeks a stay in this matter, they should file a motion setting forth points and authorities satisfying the "heavy burden of making a strong showing" why a stay is warranted. *Id.* (citation omitted). Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, pursuant to Local Rule 26-1(d), Plaintiff shall initiate the scheduling and conducting of the Rule 26(f) meeting by **Friday, May 23, 2014**. The parties shall submit a discovery plan and scheduling order by **Friday, May 30, 2014**.

DATED: May 12, 2014.


 C.W. Hoffman, Jr.
 United States Magistrate Judge